

2016 Regular Session

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 62

BY SENATOR PEACOCK

WILLS/TESTAMENTS. Requests the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding the feasibility of an enforceable mediation or arbitration provision in a testament or trust.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding the feasibility of revisions to the law of wills and testaments and trusts.

WHEREAS, other states permit an enforceable mediation or arbitration provision to be included in a testament or trust.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to study and make recommendations regarding the feasibility of whether revisions to present laws of the state are necessary in light of other states' laws that expressly permit an enforceable mediation or arbitration provision to be included in a testament or trust.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Louisiana State Law Institute shall submit a written report of its findings, together with any recommendations in the form of proposed legislation, to the Legislature of Louisiana no later than February 1, 2017.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the Director of the Louisiana State Law Institute.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Ben Huxen.

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Requests a report of its finding and recommendations to the legislature no later than February 1, 2017.